MEMORIAL VILLAGES POLICE CRIME ANALYSIS SUMMARY

January 17, 2014 through January 23, 2014

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For quick reference in reporting crimes or suspicious activity, program our dispatch number into the speed dial of your home and cellular telephone:

713-365-3700

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BUNKER HILL

On January 19th officers assisted the Houston Police Department with an accident investigation in the 11800 block of Taylorcrest Road.

PINEY POINT

On January 17th an officer stopped a vehicle in the 2000 block of South Piney Point Road for a traffic violation. The driver was found to have warrants out of the City of Houston Police Department. The driver was taken into custody and later released to Houston Police Department.

On January 21st an officer responded to the 11300 block of Jamestown in reference to a theft from a construction site. The theft occurred from January 17-20, 2014. At this time there are no suspects, but the case is still under investigation.

HUNTERS CREEK

On January 19th an officer observed a subject walking in the roadway in the 300 block of Voss Road. The officer contacted the subject and was found to be intoxicated. The subject was placed under arrest for Public Intoxication.

On January 20th officers responded to a suspicious person call in the 8500 block of Katy Freeway. An officer contacted the subject and was found to have warrants from the City of Hunters Creek and the City of Bellaire. The warrants were confirmed and the subject was placed under arrest for the warrants.

CRIME PREVENTION TIPS

The following recommendations will help to keep your home from being targeted by criminals:

All exterior doors should be equipped with a deadbolt lock that has at least a one and a half inch throw bolt. The strike plate on the doorframe should also be made of steel and secured to frame by at least four steel screws that are at least two inches long. This will insure that the screws are anchored into the wall studs and not just the fascia boards that make up the doorframe.

All exterior windows that open should have some type of auxiliary locking device to supplement the latch that comes on the window.

If your back yard is enclosed by a fence, the gates should be kept locked to keep criminals from being able to access the rear of your home. This is a favorite area for criminals to try and enter since it is out of sight and gives them the greatest amount of concealment.

Easily portable items such as power tools, lawn equipment and sports equipment should be kept in a secure storage area when not in use.

Vehicles that are not parked in an enclosed and locked garage should always be kept locked. If the vehicle is equipped with an alarm it should also be turned on. DO NOT leave any keys including house keys in any unattended vehicle.

Exterior lighting at entry door and driveway areas is also an excellent crime deterrent. The best method for controlling these lights is a photoelectric cell, which will turn the lights on a dusk and off at dawn even when you are not home. This provides continuous lighting during hours of darkness and does not advertise when you are away from home.

If you have any question regarding these recommendations or other crime prevention questions, The Memorial Villages Police Department has several officers with special training in crime prevention techniques. These officers are available to conduct a security survey of your home. To schedule a survey call the department at 713-365-3700 or, email Lt. Gerald Sorrell at gsorrell@mvpdtx.org to schedule an appointment.

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